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 OPTHALMIC LENS )

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Before examination of the Rule 60 Divisional Application filed herewith, kindly amend the application as follows. This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. 120 to Application No. 08/569,816, filed Dec. 8, 1995.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, line 3, after "This application is a", kindly insert divisional of Application No. 08/569,816, filed Dec. 8, 1995, which is a --.

On page 11, line 31, before "particularly" delete the second "a".

On page 14, line 17, kindly delete "squeezed" and substitute therefor -- squeezed --.

On page 19, line 11, after "<sup>14</sup>C-glucose", kindly delete "THO".

On page 19, line 22, kindly delete "withing" and substitute therefor -- within --.

On page 19, line 26, kindly delete "aperature" and substitute therefor -- aperture --.